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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of : HETHERINGTON, Richard W. et al.  
Application No. : 10/670,962  
Filing Date : 09/25/2003  
Title (as amended) : Lift Handle For Products Having A Nailing Fin  
Art Unit : 3634  
Examiner : Strimbu, Gregory J.  
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Customer No. : 27530

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Commissioner for Patents  
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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111**

Sir:

In response to the Non-final Office Action dated June 14, 2005, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments and remarks.

This response includes amendments to the written description beginning on the following page.

Amendments to the Claims can be found beginning on page 3 of this present paper.

The Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.